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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Priyabrata MUKHERJEE; Absar AHMAD; Deendayal
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For: PROCESS FOR IMMOBILIZED NANO-SIZED METAL PARTICLES

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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November 6, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 6, 2003, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins
on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.